

~~wherein said film is irradiated.~~

30. (Amended) A multiple layer polymeric film as in claim [13] ~~17~~, wherein said first barrier layer has a thickness of about 20 gauge, said second and third layers each has a thickness of about 25 gauge, said fourth-layer has a thickness of about 45 gauge, and said fifth layer having a thickness of about 1.15 gauge.

4 21. (Amended) A package made from the film of claim [13] 17.

Applicants have amended claim 17 by amending in (c) “a fourth layer” to read “a second layer”. Support for this amendment is found in Figure I as well as the description for Figure I, page 8, line 15 to page 9, line 4. Applicants respectfully request consideration and entrance of the instant Preliminary Amendment.

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